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REMARKS

Applicant has cancelled claims 4 and 5 in that they were improperly drawn dependent to claim 1. Claims 4 and 5 recite the second embodiment.

Applicant will now proceed with the submission of its Appeal Brief.

Respectfully submitted,




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